

House Resolution No. 782

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to recognize Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, York E. Silliman, M.D., of Saint Joseph attained considerable distinction as a pathologist who was born on December 14, 1938, in Saint Louis and who earned a Bachelor of Science degree in natural sciences in 1960 from Saint Louis University and a Doctor of Medicine degree in 1964 from the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Medicine; and

Whereas, during his stellar career in the medical field, Dr. York Silliman was associated with Heartland Regional Medical Center in Saint Joseph, Missouri; Saint Joseph Hospital in Wichita, Kansas; Saint John's Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma; Upsher Laboratories in Kansas City, Missouri; the School of Medical Technology at Saint Joseph Hospital and Rehabilitation Center; the School of Medical Technology, the College of Health Related Professions, and the School of Inhalation Therapy at Wichita State University in Wichita, Kansas; and the E.S. Edgerton Research Foundation in Wichita, Kansas; and

Whereas, a former Medical Examiner for Buchanan County in Missouri, Dr. York Silliman holds medical licenses from the states of Missouri, Kansas, and Oklahoma and is a Diplomate with the American Board of Medical Examiners and the American Board of Pathology, Anatomic and Clinical Pathology; and

Whereas, Dr. York Silliman helped ensure the highest standards of professional conduct and performance through his participation and membership in the College of American Pathologists, American Society of Clinical Pathologists, and American Society of Cytologists; and

Whereas, a United States military veteran who served in Virginia, Florida, and Vietnam, Dr. York Silliman served on the hospital staffs of Freeman Hospital in Joplin, Missouri; Olathe Community Hospital in Olathe, Kansas; Johnson County Memorial Hospital in Warrensburg, Missouri; Golden Valley Memorial Hospital in Clinton, Missouri; Cass County Memorial Hospital in Harrisonville, Missouri; Miami County Hospital in Paola, Kansas; and Saint John's Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive medical career of Dr. York Silliman as a pathologist and to commend his many professional and personal accomplishments in life; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Dr. York E. Silliman of Saint Joseph, Missouri.

Offered by _____

Representative Rob Schaaf
District No. 28

Representative Ed Wildberger
District No. 27

Representative Martin T. Rucker
District No. 29

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 782, adopted February 24, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker